



St. Thomas' S.N.S. Newsletter



23rd November 2020

Rule of the Week

I do my best in class and allow others to do the same

Online Safety Workshops For Parents

These workshops are suitable for parents with children of all ages and it is held live, on Zoom with an experienced Barnardos trainer. Workshops will be held on :

Tuesday 24th November @ 7.00pm
Wednesday 2nd December @ 1.00pm
Tuesday 8th December @ 7.30pm

Topics covered include:

- A. How to talk to your child about online safety
- B. Parental controls
- C. Helpful websites
- D. Cyberbullying and how to help your child
- E. How to encourage digital wellbeing
- F. Sexting
- G. Strategies: Gaming and screen time

If you are interested log on to:

<https://www.barnardos.ie/learning-development/training/online-safety-programme>

Stay Safe

As part of the SPHE programme, teachers will teach the final lesson—lesson 13 of the Stay Safe Programme this week.

Shortage of Teachers

It can be very difficult at times to get a substitute teacher to provide cover in the event of a teacher being absent from school. If a teacher is absent, we will try our hardest to get a substitute teacher. Where we cannot get a substitute the Special Education Teacher will be asked to take the class as this year classes cannot be split amongst other classes due to Covid19.

Book Rental

Most people have paid book bills or attempted to pay something off the bills at this stage but there is still some money outstanding.

If you are one of the few who have not yet paid anything we would appreciate if you could rectify this.

The total cost this year is €25

INTERNET SAFETY

